

107TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. RES. 305

Designating the week beginning September 15, 2002, as “National  
Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week”.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 25, 2002

Mr. THURMOND submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the  
Committee on the Judiciary

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## RESOLUTION

Designating the week beginning September 15, 2002, as  
“National Historically Black Colleges and Universities  
Week”.

Whereas there are 105 historically black colleges and univer-  
sities in the United States;

Whereas black colleges and universities provide the quality  
education so essential to full participation in a complex,  
highly technological society;

Whereas black colleges and universities have a rich heritage  
and have played a prominent role in American history;

Whereas black colleges and universities have allowed many  
underprivileged students to attain their full potential  
through higher education; and

Whereas the achievements and goals of historically black colleges and universities are deserving of national recognition: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved,*

2   **SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF NATIONAL HISTORICALLY**  
 3                   **BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES WEEK.**

4       The Senate—

5           (1) designates the week beginning September  
 6       15, 2002, as “National Historically Black Colleges  
 7       and Universities Week”; and

8           (2) requests that the President of the United  
 9       States issue a proclamation calling on the people of  
 10      the United States and interested groups to observe  
 11      the week with appropriate ceremonies, activities, and  
 12      programs to demonstrate support for historically  
 13      black colleges and universities in the United States.

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